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BEAUTY UNADORNED. A PAGE OF ORTRAITS OF NEW YORK'S REALLY BEAUTIFUL SHOP GIRES IN CONTRAST TO THE

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MABER-JOHNSON FIZZLE.

etling and Talk the Features of a Long Drawn Out Draw. NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.-The Johnson-Maher glove contest took place in the arena of the Olympic Club last night in the presence of the smallest number of spectators that ever assem-bled in the Club on a similar occasion.

The men fought for a purse of \$1,500 of which \$200 went to the loser. They entered the ring about \$.15 o'clock. The fight from start to finish, was a mix-MR. FELLOWS SPEAKS

In the start to finish, was a mixture of boxing, wrestling and talking, with more than the usual amount of abuse by the tongue which the principals gave each other.

In the twenty-fourth round the men were wrestling so flercely that the referee had to separate them. From a scientific standpoint the affair was a gloritous finale, and the ring in which the men fought was ploughed up to such an extent as to make the audience believe the men had been fighting a week.

Maber was taller than his opponent, and should have won the battle, though he seemed to lack the physical form necessary to do so.

In the twenty-fifth round, Maber, being forced down in a clinch, took several seconds on 'he floor, and after arising the men wrestled a little more. At the end of the twenty-fifth round, fight a draw was received with rounds of applause.

It was concluded by those interested WEST SIDE A. C. DECLINING.

ittle Hope of Life for the Once Famous Organization.

in the investigation of the District-At-torney's office that to-day would be the last of the session. Commissioner Lin-

son is having all the testimony type-

He stated this merning that he would

That the Governor is interested in the investigation is shown by the fact that

and that the latter are tried first, be-

Then you are still in favor of a new

receives transcripts from the sten-

written for presentation to the Governor

abmit his findings as soon as pos

The West Side Athletic Club is in bad way. Once the leading boxing or-ganization of this city, and always promographer's minutes each day. He has, therefore, had time to consider all the proceedings except those of yesterday.

Judge Martine testified that there is a

panization of this city, and always prominent at any track meeting hereabout,
it is tottering on its last legs, unless
signs fail. And its last legs are decidedly infirm, too, and likely to give out and
leave the once famous Club but a memory among athletes of this city.

An "Evening World" reporter, who
visited the Club's quarters in search of
news, found the gymnasium in darkness,
save for the tiny speck of light which
sputtered from the point of a cheap
candle stuck in the neck of an empty
bottle at one end of the long room. The
dumbells, apparatus, pictures and other
fittings had disappeared. One member,
who is training for a coming fistic bout,
atepped upon the scales, lighting a match
to ascertain his weight,
"The gas meter is out of order," was
the explanation vouchsafed, but that
did not account for the missing fixtures
and adornments. "Members' dues are
missing" would better account for the
too apparent decline of the Club.

Perhaps a herculean effort might succeed in lifting the Club out of the slough,
but among its members none can be
found willing to undertake the almost
hopeless task.

cause if they were not, the pisson would be inadequate.

"Do you find that the business of the courts is of ten delayed because of the failure of the District-Attorney to have cases prepared?" asked Mr. McCurdy.

"Certainly not." said the Judge.

"From your experience, do you think it feasible, taking into consideration the limited force in the District-Attorney's office and the constitution of the courts, to try all of the ball cases, all of the prison cases?

"In my judgment, no." prison cases?

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"Do you find that many more indictments are found now than in previous years." asked ex-Judge Van Hoesen on cross-examination.
"I believe not," was the answer.
"Do you remember in 1891 writing a letter in which you gave an opinion that the judicial force was adequate?"
"I do," said Judge Martine.
"Then you have changed your opinion since 1977.

HOW BAHEN WAS HURT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 7 .- Pro ceedings in the Criminal Court of Washington may be a result of the Thanksgiving Day football game between the Columbia Athletic Club and Georgetown University. In which Quarter-Back Bahen, of the University, received such injuries that he lies paralyzed and at the point of death.

The feeling among the alumni of the University is exceedingly bitter against the players of the Athletic Club. Father Richards, President of Georgetown College, has been urged to take the matter into court, but is averse to doing so, and new graduates who are prominent in the local Alumni Association are discussing the advisability of laying the case before the District-Attorney.

Several persons who witnessed the episode assert that Bahen was evidently assaulted with the intention of injuring him and putting him out of the game. edings in the Criminal Court of Wash

"Then you are sun in account?"

"I have always been."

"How often have you adjourned court in 1884 for want of business?"

"Twice that I can remember."

"How often have motions been made for dismissal by lawyers on the ground that the District-Attorney had failed to bring them to trial?"

"At a guess, I should say half a dozen." Recorder Smyth was called next.
"How many occasions in 1894 have there been," asked Mr. McCurdy, "when your court was obliged to adjourn because of the failure of the District-Attorney to have cases prepared."
"None that I can

O'ROURKE TESTS THE LAW.

has, materially," replied the Re-The Recorder stated that because of

The Recorder stated that because of the Lexow Committee and prosecution of election officers the criminal business of the courts has been greatly increased this year.

Mr. Urger was then called to the stand, and Commissioner Linson took him in hand Unger said Col. Fellows received from hir predecessor 85' undisposed indictments, of which 560 were for felonies and 23' for misdemeanors. Mr. Unger admitted that on Nov. M. when charges were filed against Col. Fellows, there were 1,564 undisposed indictments, of which 801 were for felonies and 563 for misdemeanors.

Mr. Unger was asked by Mr. Phillips about Jachne surrendering a man named Charles Allen, whom he represented as being John Dolan.

"Jachne did not surrender a man purporting to be Dolan, and if there is a bench warrant out for Dolan. I decline to answer for public reasons," he said.

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"Allegations by the newspapers, by The World of to-day, if you please," said Mr. Phillips.

Col. Pellows replied. He said he knew little about the opinions of a few circles of fours and fives and that he cared less, but he regarded his election by a majority of 66,000 after he had once before held the office, as a public verdict in his favor.

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The charges against him were made, he claimed, by only a few citizans and by unfriendly newspapers.

After recess Mr. Davis denied that a large unmber of arean cases were awaiting trial and that the Fire Marshal had tried in vain to have them tried.

Attorner Welling made his debut as a grois-examiner by arking Mr. Davis why Mrs. Meyer, the wife of Dr. Meyer, had not been tried.

"For public reasons, to which I should not refer." answered the witness.

Ther Mr. Welling subsided.

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Assistant District-Atterney John D. Lindsay, was asked by Mr. McCurdy about his experience, it having been stated by Mr. Phillips that some of the Assistants are young and experienced. He said he was twenty-cight years old and that he has charge of kork in the Court of Appeals, and in the United States Supreme Court.

On cross-examination Mr. Phillip asked Mr. Lindsay if he knew that at one time Col. Fe. own was counsel for Amos R. Eno, father of John C. Eno, He said the Ens indictment was disminsed because a conviction could not be secured.

Assistant J. strict-Attorney Weeks told about the cases in which he had been ensaged. He also teld of the election cases which congested business in the courts and District-Attorney's office, and detailed many minor cases.

DE LESSEPS PASSES AWAY.

End of the Great French Engineer Came Peacefully Te-Day.

BUILDER OF THE SUEZ CANAL

Ill Since the Collapse of His Great Panama Canal Scheme.

EVER KNEW OF HIS CONVICTION.

Ignorance of the Peril He Brought Upon the Republic.

PARIS, Dec. 7.—Count Ferdinand De Lesseps, the critical condition of whose was announced exclusively by the Associated Press early Wednesday morning, died to-day at Lachenaie, near Vatan, in the Department of l'Indre. During the night he received the last sacrament, and his physicians remained at his bedside from yesterday evening, from which time his death was expected at every moment.

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Count Ferdinand de Lesseps was born in Versailies, Nov. 10, 1803. He was the son of Jean Baptiste Bartheisemi, Baron de Lesseps.

At the age of twenty years he was appointed attache of the French Consulate at Lisbon, and was afterwards engaged in the commercial department of the French Ministry of Foreign Affairs. In 1828, he was made attache of the Consul-General in Tunis, and in 1831 became Consu. to Alexandria.

When thirty-five years of age he was made Consul at Rotterdam, and in 1839 negotiated a treaty with Spain in behaif of French commerce.

He was made Consul at Barcelona, but in 1844 returned to Alexandria. Thence he went back to Barcelona, and in the last days of the reign of Louis Philippe. Citizen King, was made French Minister at the Chiff of Madrid.

After the Revolution of 1848, which overthrew the King of the French, he returned to Faris, and was sent by the new Republican Government to represent it at Rome, then governed by Mazsini.

His first conception of the Idea of the Suez Canal came with a visit to the Egyptian Khedive in 1854.

When De Lesseps visited Alexandria in that year the Viceroy gave nim a residence in that city and enisted him as a companion in his journey across the Libyan Desert. During the journey the project was conceived and placed before the Viceroy, who approved it and granted the first concession in that year.

A company was formed and subscription books were opened in Paris Nov. 3, 1835. Despite the hostility to the project shown by England and leading engineers, the stock was all subscribed for octors Nov. 30.

Subsequent concessions were secured in 1856, 1863, 1864, and two others in 1899 and 1878.

Actual work on the canal was not begun until 1859, and in 1869 it was opened to the world.



Milliken Testifies in the Divorce Suit of Millionaire Oakes.

court the defendant made many jeer-ing remarks, and treated the matter as a joke.

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It transpired that Mrs. Geisicker was remarried nearly a year ago. She charges Mrs. Beisner with having spirited away her second husband, whose name is Roberts.



Remains of a Chicago Man Found in an Alley.

GALLATIN A WINNER.

And Sweetmeats Runs Second in the Best Race of the Day.

Interocean, at 8 to 1, Captures the Opening Event.

(Special to The Evening World.)
RACE TRACK, ALEXANDER IS LAND, Dec. 7.-The usual large crowd was in attendance to-day at the Alexander Island course. The weather was nore Spring-like than wintry. Th enicliers were on the line. The care was an exceptionally fine one, quantity and quality, and

FIRST RACE.